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## Lottery Joints Have One Very Bad Week

### County Line Monte Carlo Lid Nailed Down Tight

(Special to The Richmond Terminal).

County Line, El Cerrito, Dec. 29.—The lid has been clamped down for the holiday week, and the Chinese lotteries and camouflaged joints are laying off until the opportunity is "more propitious" to twist the tiger's tail.

This suspension of business is caused by the persistent raids of county and federal authorities, who are determined to keep everlastingly at it and prosecute the chinks and whites until they move to more congenial quarters.

Crowds from San Francisco and Oakland line the streets daily at the county line waiting for the joints to open, but there is "nothing doing."

### All Night Parking to Be Prohibited in Richmond

The mayor of Richmond and chief of the fire department may be the direct cause of an ordinance prohibiting the use of the streets and avenues as all night parking conveniences for automobiles and other vehicles.

The mayor at Monday night's meeting stated that the "unflagged automobile at night was a menace to safety, and fire chief Lennon said the department was in danger of colliding with these obstructions any night when answering an alarm.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance prohibiting machines from all night parking in front of residences.

Parallel parking was referred to, and the proposed transfer of hydrants from Macdonald avenue to side streets, which would convenience the fire department and give more parking space, was discussed.

### Drop in Sugar

A reduction of ten cents a hundred pounds in the price of cane sugar yesterday was announced by the California & Hawaiian Sugar Refining Corporation. The price is reduced from \$7.50 to \$7.40.

### Richmond's Mail Service

Richmond's postmaster, James N. Long, and his speedy and efficient force, got away with the holiday congestion without the least trouble, due to modern and labor saving methods of handling the "goods." Even the swinging doors were labeled "in" and "out," which helped some. It was good service.

### Shooting Gallery Permit

M. E. Dilley, well known in Richmond, who formerly conducted a bazar at 3d and Macdonald, and later operated a soft drink place on the opposite side of the street, was granted a license Tuesday to conduct a shooting gallery at 116 Macdonald.

### Pioneer Moves Away

The many friends of W. H. Conn regret that he has changed his residence to Los Gatos, where he goes to engage in the poultry business. Conn Bros., of whom W. H. was one of the firm, have been identified with the city since its inception, and have the respect and confidence of the best citizens.

THE TERMINAL, Richmond's industrial newspaper.

### Panhandle Highway From the Big Hill to Cutting

There is a united movement on foot to promote the highway cutoff between Richmond and Albany, shortening the route to Oakland and San Francisco one and a half miles, besides giving the public a direct route to Richmond and the San Rafael ferries, and also of great convenience to the employees of the Standard Oil and other industries, a number of which will in the near future be located near the inner harbor and Richmond's waterfront.

"There is no doubt about this highway cutoff materializing, as the congested conditions of San Pablo avenue at the present time demands relief," said Dr. J. T. Brennenman, one of the pioneers of San Pablo avenue, who is a live booster for the development of the Panhandle route and the welding together of the eastbay waterfront cities.

Concerted action of the civic bodies and those who use the highways for commercial purposes and pleasure are directly interested in improvement, which may be a reality in the near future.

### Not So "Soft" as It Used to Be

Pittsburg, California, Dec. 19.—"Soft drinks" in Pittsburg are plentiful, but the licenses to sell them are becoming more difficult to procure. Eight applicants were denied permits by the board of trustees at their recent meeting.

The board made a rule that anyone who causes the authorities annoyance in enforcing the law, will not be given a permit. This practically bars the entire "soft drink" fraternity of Pittsburg.

### Cleanup Night in Martinez

Martinez, Dec. 28.—Local authorities, as well as Sheriff Veale's forces, had a busy Saturday night. At 8 o'clock sharp the raiding squads started out and eleven bootleg joints were captured in the roundup.

Sheriff Veale's forces operated in the eastern part of the county. Here is the Sheriff's haul: Jess and James Johnson, Giant; Martin and Mrs. M. Humphrey, El Cerrito; Mrs. Jane Smith, Crockett.

### Albany Man Granted Soft Drink License

El Cerrito, Dec. 27.—G. A. Bittick of Albany, was granted a soft drink license by the city board of trustees of El Cerrito last night. Bittick conducts a grocery store and ice cream parlor in connection with the S. P. Electric station at Main and San Pablo, Albany.

### Pullman District Raided

M. A. Parker and M. W. Majors were fined \$100 each and given a suspended thirty-day jail sentence following a raid on a place at 60 South street in the Pullman district. A small quantity of liquor was found by the Richmond police who conducted the raid.

### Street Bonds Issued

Bonds for the improvement of Second street were ordered transferred to the contractor, Frank W. Bilger, by the city council on Tuesday night. No bids for the bonds were received.

Have it printed at The Terminal, the oldest newspaper in Richmond.

### San Francisco Junior Elks to Dance at Fairmont

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—The Antlers (Junior Elks) of this city will give a New Year's dancant tomorrow (Saturday) night in the blue and gold ball room of the Fairmont hotel. All Elks of the entire bay region are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fenton Nicholas will act as host and hostess of the dance. Nicholas is founder of the Order of Antlers, which in reality is a junior order of the B. P. O. E.

### Local Police May Receive Reward

Chief of Police Wood has received word from the sheriff of Cherokee county, Oklahoma, that he has sent a deputy to Richmond to return the confessed bandit, Wm. T. Price, who gave himself up to the local police, stating his "conscience would give him no peace."

Price participated in the bank holdup last January at Hubbert, Oklahoma, where \$2700 was taken by three bandits, Price holding the horses at the rear of the bank, the trio making their getaway under a heavy fire by merchants who were aroused by the bank's burglar alarm.

### Boy Scout Fund Swell to 5 Figures

Only a few more "iron dollars" and the \$6000 Boy Scout fund for Richmond will be reached. The scout movement is receiving an impetus over the entire county, but the real canvass for funds will not begin until the first of the year.

C. A. Withington, county scout executive in command, is the man behind the movement. He is to be commended for his efforts to organize a citizenship that will guarantee the continuance of a stable government for these United States.

### Shopmen Thankful

The striking shopmen of Richmond are receiving assistance from a number of firms, the John Nichols Co. deserving especial mention for its contribution of \$50. Several fraternal organizations and private citizens are subscribing generous amounts, which would indicate that these men who are contending for a living wage and fair working conditions, have the sympathy of the public, here in Richmond and California as well as throughout the middle and eastern states.

### Steege's New Church

Steege's new Presbyterian church will cost \$13,000, according to plans now drafted. Articles of incorporation have been filed with the county clerk. The board of trustees are Matthew Weir, John Cudley, E. B. Hulet, D. A. Dodge and O. H. Dobbs.

### New Sewers Ordered

The city council Monday evening adopted plans for new sewers in the Pullman townsite district, south of Cutting boulevard.

### New Co. Treasurer Assumes Duties

Martinez, Dec. 28.—Charles L. Dodge of Crockett, who was appointed county treasurer by the board of supervisors Saturday to succeed the late J. Rio Baker, was sworn into office Tuesday and was also his deputy, John L. Rahn of Richmond.

### U. S. Forests Produce Steaks and Lamb- Chops

San Francisco, Dec. 29.—It may seem like a far cry from a juicy beefsteak or a lamb-chop to the national forests, but is it? The odds are just about 1 to 3 that the meat you eat comes from a steer or lamb ranged and fattened on one of Uncle Sam's great reservations, for more than one-half the sheep, and nearly one-quarter of the cattle in the west graze each year on the national forests, reports the United States Forest Service.

In California, \$72,000 head of live stock, belonging to 3370 owners found forage during 1921 on the ranges of the seventeen national forests. This number represents 13 per cent of the beef-producing cattle and 22 per cent of the sheep in the state.

In the last ten years the number of cattle and horses grazed on the California national forests have increased over 27 per cent and the sheep over 45 per cent.

### Funeral of Mrs. H. W. Lunceford

Many Richmond friends attended the impressive funeral services for Mrs. H. W. Lunceford at Oakland Wednesday. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer paid an eloquent tribute to the noble woman so dearly loved by all. Beautiful floral pieces attested the esteem in which the good woman was held.

### News May Ride

A sedan has been added to the equipment of the Richmond health center to accommodate the nurses who have duties to perform that requires transportation facilities.

### Maccabees Celebrate

The Maccabees celebrated their Christmas party Wednesday evening with as excellent supper and gift distribution. Installation of officers will be held January 10.

Ralph Lane of Pleyto, Monterey county, visited his aunt, Mrs. W. J. McCann of 538 Third street, Christmas.

### RANDOM COMMENT

Billy Sunday, the noisy preacher and alleged millionaire, says Arbuckle should be given a chance and dubs all ministers "sky pilots" who do not agree with him regarding the "chunk of lard who should be given a chance." Former baseball player Sunday will find that a large percentage of mothers of the nation are expressing opinions that may have more weight than Mr. Sunday's.

The Victory Highway via the Truckee river route will attract eastern tourists by having much to offer in the way of scenery and sports. It is the logical route to the Bay Cities, and will bring thousands of homeseekers to the best part of California.

### KNEW HER SECRET

When I took a position as teacher in the practice department of a normal school I had recently been ill with a severe fever and lost all my hair. Consequently I was forced to wear a wig.

One morning during an English lesson a supervising principal entered the room and took charge of the class. At that time we were taking up the study of declarative sentences.

When one of the pupils failed, the principal turned to another and remarked, "Tell me something about your teacher."

The child looked up and promptly replied, "Our teacher wears a wig." —Exchange.

### Will Help Celebrate 100th Anniversary On Mt. Diablo

Contra Costa county board of supervisors adopted a resolution pledging aid to a celebration to be held on Mt. Diablo during 1923 commemorating the permanent settlement of Contra Costa county by white men.

The movement favoring a celebration is receiving the support of a number of organizations, prominent among which are the Native Sons and Daughters, the Mt. Diablo Park Council and others.

The 100th anniversary of the actual and permanent settlement of white men in Contra Costa county in 1923 will mark an important epoch in the history of central California, an honor to the memory of those pioneers who prepared the way for the county's prosperity and greatness.

### Fresh and Free Seeds

Garden making season is near, and a number have planted seeds that may survive the frosts. This office has received a consignment of government seeds from the agricultural department at Washington, the highest grade from the experimental stations. Your own lettuce, beets, peas and carrots, from the home garden, have a much better flavor than the stuff that is cuffed around in trucks and express cars. It is an honor to be a "producer."

The seeds were sent by Congressman Chas. F. Curry, and are free for the asking.

### Hints For Motorists

When stopping in traffic dismount on the right hand side of the car, to prevent from being "winged."

The state law requires mirrors on all motor trucks.

Rambling along the highway at night without a tail light is neglectful and dangerous.

Parking at night for repairs on the highway without lights to warn approaching vehicles is criminal negligence.

Keep your "dukes" inside the car when explaining the topography of the country to your seat mate.

### LOCATES WEALTH IN EARTH

Remarkable Power Alleged to Have Been Bestowed on Young Girl of Venice, Italy.

Augusta Del Pio Luogo, a beautiful young girl of Venice, is looking forward to a period of profitable and pleasant employment. Italy is particularly interested just now in two things, the location of petroleum, for all the world wants oil, and the finding of water, for the drought of the past two summers is said to be but the beginning of a long dry spell. To Augusta Del Pio Luogo is ascribed the ability to locate the deposit, within the earth, of both oil and water, and her successes have been so remarkable that her services are being sought by companies interested in oil production and irrigation.

Augusta first noticed her ability when a child. When walking in the country she would notice little shoeks passing from her feet to her head, causing her distinct pain. In 1909 she met a famous water diviner, Chiabrera, and found that his divining rod acted as well for her as it did for him. A year later she went to Argentina and, making use of her powers, indicated a number of places where water would be found, sometimes at a depth of 600 feet. In each case water was found, but in some instances it turned out to be

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## Wright Law No Joke, In Alameda County

### P.G.&E. President to Address Rotaries Today

Richmond Rotary Club will hold its last meeting of the year today. George N. Rooker is chairman of the day and will introduce as speaker, Wigginton E. Creed, president of the P. G. and E. Co.

All who have heard Creed speak can vouch for his qualifications as an entertaining speaker and promoter of good fellowship.

Charlie Renwick, just "off the road" from the frozen East and Canada, will give a brief account of "how it is" back there.

### Old T. & D. Theatre at 5th Street Gets the Once Over

Local manager Dan Reardon, shirt-sleeved, with crow-bar, pried loose all the "opera" chairs in the old T. & D. theatre and shipped them away—no one knows where—probably to Milpitas.

Manager Reardon, like his pictures, does not talk much, and is careful when reporters are snooping around. The mystery is unsolved as to the kind of business that will be installed in the old movie house.

It was reported that San Francisco parties were to install a cabaret, and that it would be conducted as a real "city amusement" place, with "soft drinks," entertainers and jazz. But this may be a pipe dream.

### Berkeley Pays Water Company \$25,784

Berkeley, Dec. 27.—A warrant for \$25,784 in favor of the East Bay Water Co. was cashed by the city treasurer Saturday.

This is Berkeley's water bill, including the surcharge for five months.

Besides the year's charges, the city is paying last year's bill at the rate of \$1000 per month.

### Albany Woman In Auto Crash

Miss A. Carlson, the lady tailor with Tailor O'Brien at Main and San Pablo, is recovering from injuries received when the automobile driven by her brother Thorald Carlson, 1709 Hibbard street, A. A. macdonald, collided with a machine at 29th and Chapman streets. Miss Carlson suffered severe cuts and bruises about the head and shoulders. Her brother escaped with only slight injury.

### Albany News

Gerald Browne is confined to his home for a few days on account of illness.

Mrs. Earl Tenney entertained a Christmas tree party Saturday evening. Friends from Albany, Oakland and Berkeley were present and all enjoyed the yuletide festivities to the limit.

Judge and Mrs. Paul had Christmas dinner with their daughter, Mrs. C. M. Nash of Oakland.

Little Gertrude Peacock danced for the Oakland Maccabees one evening last week and received hearty applause. She receives many invitations to entertain with her dancing.

It was in THE TERMINAL.

### Booze Sleuths Put Up Strong Front in Oakland

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 28.—County war on the bootlegger and also property owners who permitted their tenants to operate "blind pigs," "speak easies," etc., has started.

District Attorney Ezra Decota issues a statement as follows:

"I have just been in consultation with Commissioner Colburn, Chief Drew, Chief Wamuta of Alameda, Chief Vollmer of Berkeley and Sheriff Frank Barnett, and we have outlined a plan for concerted action to clean out the bootleggers in Alameda county.

"These men" are selling persistently all kinds of poisonous liquor in which death lurks in every drink. Only a fool would buy it and drink it. The Wright law is now the law of California, and it will be enforced just as every law of the State of California is enforced.

"I wish to call the attention of property owners of this county to the provisions of the law under which property used for selling liquor is declared a public nuisance, and upon an order of the superior court it can be closed and not allowed to be used for a certain period of time.

"Pending issuance of the warrant's business by the property owner does not excuse the owner. This matter has already been decided by the Supreme Court of the State of California."

It is said that statement proceedings is the death knell to hooch joints; that the 5000 officers added to the 50 federal law enforcement squad will soon seek out and prosecute the purveyors of illicit liquor, as the Wright act makes it mandatory on all officers to do their duty.

### Will It Increase the Budget?

Martinez, Dec. 29.—County Clerk Wells had an exceptionally good run on hunting and fishing licenses the last quarter of 1922.

He gathered \$444 from the gun and reel sports, and for the year collected \$2017. If the remaining 54 counties of the state make as good showing, Governor-elect Richardson can increase the budget at least \$100,000.

### 23d Street Items

M. A. Hays, realtor, has left for the Texas oil fields where he will look over the interests of a Richmond company interested there in a number of oil wells.

The Mercantile Trust Co. at 23d street is installing a new front in the Burg building which will give the structure a distinct banking appearance.

Territory northeast of 23d and Macdonald is settling up rapidly, and all buildings are modern and up to date. Northeast Richmond is becoming the preferred residential district of the city.

East Richmond is to have free city mail delivery, Postmaster J. N. Long receiving information from Congressman Chas. F. Curry that service would begin Feb. 1, 1923.

Car service improves as the eastern and northeastern part of the city advances. With good transportation facilities, many new homes are being constructed, and soon there will be no vacant property nearer than the foothills.



## Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION



## BELL'S VICTIMS RESCUED

Kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles are most dangerous because of their insidious attacks. Heed the first warning they give that they need attention by taking

## LATHROP'S GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for these disorders, will often ward off these diseases and strengthen the body against further attacks. Thousands of druggists look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitations.

## RYZON BAKING POWDER you use less

Problems in Agriculture.

The state agricultural experiment stations are studying 4,770 specific problems relating to the agricultural industry of the country. Broadly grouped, there are 1,000 projects dealing with agronomy subjects, including field crops, soils and fertilizers, or about one-third of the total; 932 botanical and horticultural problems are under investigation; animal industry subjects, including dairying and dairy products, comprise about one-eighth of the total, leaving three-eighths of the projects for all other subjects.—Mississippi Valley Magazine.

## Cuticura for Pimples.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum. Advertisement.

## Life Man Leads.

Nipp—Do you believe men are descended from animals way back?  
Tuck—Not so sure about that, but lots of us seem to have a dog's life here, all right.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

## Get a Bookkeeper.

He—"How long have you been engaged?"  
She—"Do you mean now or before?"

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria Always Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams* In Use For Over Thirty Years **CASTORIA**

**MURINE**  
Night Morning  
Keep Your Eyes Clear—Clear—Clear

## FREEDOM FROM LAXATIVES

Discovery by Scientists Has Replaced Them.

Pills and salts give temporary relief from constipation only at the expense of permanent injury, says an eminent medical authority. Science has found a newer, better way—a means as simple as Nature itself.

In perfect health a natural lubricant keeps the food waste soft and moving. But when constipation exists this natural lubricant is not sufficient. Medical authorities have found that the gentle lubricating action of Nujol most closely resembles that of Nature's own lubricant. As Nujol is not a laxative it cannot grip. It is in no sense a medicine. And like pure water it is harmless and pleasant.

Nujol is prescribed by physicians; used in leading hospitals. Get a bottle from your druggist today.—Advertisement.

## Latin An Aid to Business.

Persons who wish to become proficient in business English should study Latin, according to Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth, professor of English at Princeton university, because the study of Latin gives the necessary training in the fundamental laws of syntax and grammatical structure. It also serves as an introduction to word structure and word derivation. Doctor Spaeth believes that a business man should have a knowledge of from 100 to 500 Latin words and their derivatives as the basis for good business English.

## SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

## His Appellation.

A kindly old aunt asked the seven children of an acquaintance to tea. The youngsters' ages ranged from three years to fourteen. As they streamed into her drawing room, her brain reeled, and their Christian names failed her.

"And which one are you, dear?" she asked a solemn boy of seven, helplessly.  
"Me?" said he, importantly. "I'm the one with the spectacles."

It takes a born diplomat to appear to be interested in other people's troubles.

More men die of idleness than of hard work.

## TWO AND TWO DO NOT MAKE FOUR

Straight Up-and-Down Curbing With Sharp Edge Compels Motorist to Drive Out.

## TIRES ARE EASILY DAMAGED

Well-Rounded Curb With Sloping Surface Permits Car Owner to Park His Car Flush With Bottom of the Curbing.

"Do two and two always make four?"

This is not the prologue to a vaudeville wheeze, nor is it the opening wedge for an intricate and technical dissertation upon the ramifications of some such subject as integral calculus.

The answer as you may have expected is "No." The reasons—simple, logical and uncontroversial truths based upon actual experiment. Any motorist who has suffered the torture of unexpected blow-outs on some lonely road, traceable directly to "stone bruises," "rim-cuts" or any other of the divers tire ills that come of too close association with the ancient saw-tooth edged curbing, will rise in immediate defense of the statement once he reads the facts assembled.

For argument we will suppose that the street that fronts your home is 33 feet wide from curb to curb, and that the particular type of curbing used is straight up-and-down, square-cornered, and as is usually the case where this type is in use, sharp of edge.

Rounded or Sloping Face. Going further in the process of argument we will suppose that this is replaced by a cement curb with a

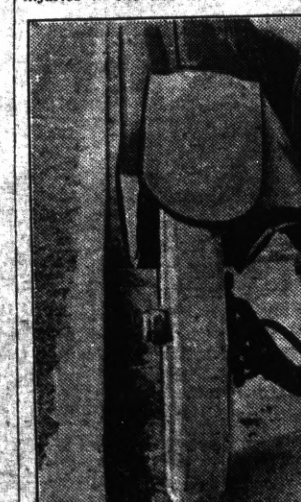


Rounded Cement Curb.

rounded or sloping face, graduating approximately two inches in from the road at the top and equipped with rounded corners.

How much wider, then, would the effective surface of your street become with this change? "Four inches" you say, adding the two and two of each side. You're wrong.

The effective width of the street becomes increased at least 14 inches, and possibly three or four feet. Motorists will see the reason for this at once. No careful driver will squeeze his car close to a sharp-tipped, perpendicular curbing. He knows that disastrous injuries to the tire fabric will result.



Square-Cornered Curbing Is to Be Avoided.

In consequence he parks from six inches to a foot away from the curb. The serviceable width of the street is cut down just that many inches. If a car parks directly across the street, multiply the decrease by two.

A rounded cement curb with a sloping surface permits the auto owner to park his car flush with the bottom of the curbing. There is no possibility of injury to his tires, and the entire center of the street becomes effective for traffic.

## Sharp Corners Dangerous.

Sharp corners make intersections dangerous for driving and the inevitable collection of refuse and litter against the sharp curb wall is a matter immediately apparent to the motorist as he approaches the intersection.

Actual construction of this curb has been so simplified by the development of efficient forms and simple methods that the cost usually is less than that of the old type. This is true whether the curb is made by the monolithic process, concurrently with construction of the street, in which event it is called "integral curb," or is placed with a gutter unit, after the street has been completed.

Added to the safety and economic appeal to the motorist, this type "sells itself" readily to the taxpayer through its permanence, lack of maintenance cost and beauty of design.

A 30-foot street may be 30 feet wide, or may be considerably less. The little 2-inch slope on the curved curb makes all the difference in the world. It might make the difference between life and death.

A rim-cut tire is a hidden menace. The motorist whose tires have suffered from curbing injury is riding over a volcano. He cannot see the breaking down of the interior fabric. He does not know it exists until the roar of the blowout comes as a belated warning.

"Two and two do not always make four."

## LOCATE SOURCE OF RATTLES

Car Having Had Several Seasons of Wear Invariably Develops Irritating Noises.

The car which has had several seasons of use invariably develops squeaks and rattles from vibration and wear, and in many cases from lack of attention in oiling and in adjusting. To locate the sources of noises is a matter of systematic examination and testing, which should be done after all dust and mud have been washed away, nuts and bolts tightened, lubricating passages cleaned and the car thoroughly oiled and greased.

## GRABBING CLUTCH TROUBLES

Car Is Jerked in Starting and Needless Strain Is Involved for Entire Mechanism.

Grabbing clutch trouble is the opposite of slipping. The clutch takes hold too suddenly, so that the car is jerked in starting and needless strain is involved for the entire power transmitting mechanism.

Grabbing is caused by too heavy spring pressure, by facings that have become rough and dry, by end play in the clutch shaft, by too tight an adjustment. The driver who jams in his clutch is quite likely to produce a grabbing action.

## ADJUSTMENT OF AUTO DOORS

Wooden Wedges Placed Under Body of Car Will Remedy Trouble in Opening and Closing.

When the doors on one side of the body of an automobile do not fit properly, either binding so that they are hard to close or fit too loosely, with so much clearance that the catch will not snap, the trouble may be remedied by placing wooden wedges under the body of the car. Metal pieces may also be used. In either case, the wedge should be bolted through the frame so that it will remain firmly in place.

## Testing Bearings.

The motorist is sometimes puzzled to know just what shape his bearings are in and does not know how to test them. Connecting rod bearings should be tested by tapping them very gently with a hammer and watching for play. For the crank shaft bearings, rock the shaft a little hard with petcocks open; if you can do this the bearings are all right.

## AUTOMOBILE MAINTENANCE

Extra tires not in use on the car should be stored in a cool, dark, dry place.

For safety, economy and driving ease, all brake operating parts should be kept well lubricated.

Except for removing grease or oil spots, soap should never be used when washing the body of a car.

Are you sure that the universal joints are getting the attention and lubrication they deserve?

Soap and emery powder, mixed to a paste, is excellent for polishing unpainted metal parts of a car.

There is no hill too steep for an automobile to climb, if the car is in good condition and properly handled.

When swinging around a turn or in passing another car remember that the bumper protrudes several inches, and allowance must be made for proper clearance.

Don't leave your automobile standing under a tree that throws off a gummy substance, as it is hard to remove and may eventually spoil the paint on your car.

Res of an automobile, when in condition, use energy equal to horsepower, or a large proportion of the power of the car.

## Legacy Is Now 231 Years Behind

Will of Col. Lewis Morris Left Six Pounds Sterling Annually to Quakers.

## DISCOVERED IN OLD RECORDS

Arrears Without Any Interest Total \$6,468—No Record Is Found of Any Payment From Bronx Lands of Testator.

New York.—Through a search of one of the oldest records of the Surrogate's court, it has just been discovered that in the will of Col. Lewis Morris, dated December 7, 1691, an annual legacy of \$8 was bequeathed to the Society of Friends in New York.

Members of the Friends were very much surprised to hear of this old bequest, as there is no trace today of any such fund among the records of either the meeting on Twentieth street or in the minutes of the Hixites on Fifteenth street.

An investigation is planned to aid in the payment of past and future amounts due from such a bequest, in the event that it should be possible to collect it. John Cox, Jr., the custodian of the records of both meetings, was very much interested in the news of the old legacy, and stated there had never been received such a sum from the Morris estate.

As 230 years have elapsed since the will was filed, the total amount due, without interest, would be \$6,468.

Col. Lewis Morris was one of the most distinguished men of his day, and was the predecessor of a long line of noted statesmen, through his brother, Capt. Richard Morris, who fought under Cromwell. Among the descendants were Lewis Morris II, chief justice of New York and governor of New Jersey; his son, Robert Morris, governor of Pennsylvania and chief justice of New Jersey; while the four sons of the succeeding generation included Morris III, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and a general in the Revolutionary war, and his brother, Gouverneur, minister to France, patriot and United States senator.

## Converted by George Fox.

Having met George Fox, the founder of the Quakers, during a successful venture in the West Indies at Barbados, where Col. Lewis Morris and his brother, Richard, had large plantations, the legacy to the Friends in New York was a result of the conversion of Col. Morris to that faith.

The will reads, in part as follows: "I give and bequeath to my honorable friend, William Penn, my Negro man, Yaff, provided the said Penn shall come to dwell in America."

"I give and bequeath to the Province of New York the Sum of six pounds per annum, to be paid out of my Plantation over against Harlem in the same Province, by whomsoever shall enjoy same . . . on every twenty-fifth day of the month called March, Yearly and every Year, forever unto such Persons . . . as shall be appointed by the General Meetings of Friends (called Quakers) in ye said Province, to be employed as they shall judge on Truth's acct."

It is especially interesting to note, in view of the high offices and influence wielded later on by his nephew, Lewis Morris II, in what low esteem he was held by his uncle, Col. Lewis Morris, for the will continues:

"And whereas I formerly intended to have made my nephew, Lewis Morris . . . my will. Executor, his many and Great Misdeeds and Disobedience towards me and my wife, and his careless Absenting himself from my house and Adhering to and

Advising with those of Bad Life and Conversation, Contrary to my Direction and Example" . . . following which, Col. Lewis Morris leaves him 2,000 acres in the Shrewsbury district in New Jersey, "one of my best mares Running in the Woods" and 2,000 acres of land known as "Bronxland" on the north of the Harlem River.

## Charged Against "Bronxland."

It was from this property that the six pounds left annually to the Friends Meeting was to be drawn. Jonas Broock, the original settler in 1693, had received a charter from the Dutch West India company, and Lewis Morris, on receiving his inheritance, procured from Governor Fletcher in 1697, a royal patent and founded the Manor of Morrisania.

Whether the bequest to the Quakers was ever made is difficult to say, and almost impossible to trace at this late date, as the New York records

## 24 Children, All Living, Swiss Family's Record

Geneva.—The family of a public servant named Hagglu, of Menzingen, in the Canton of Zug, has recently been increased by a twenty-fourth child. All the children are living and none of them are twins. The eldest, twenty-four, is to enter the priesthood. The agricultural syndicate of the locality has requested the favor of being god-father to the newcomers.

## Good Reason.

"Jack isn't the same to me any more." "Did you see him with another?" "No; he saw me with another."

## Veils Being Discarded in Turkey



The change that has come over Turkey may be appreciated by this photograph of a throng of women waiting in Constantinople to greet the Kemalists. Up to a short time ago not one of them would have dared to appear in public unless her face was covered with a veil, but the custom of centuries is being abandoned.

## To Use Radio in Mine Disasters

U. S. Bureau of Mines Conducts Experiments Through Fifty Feet of Earth.

## SEE GREAT POSSIBILITIES

Communication Between Rescuers and Entombed Miners Held as Hope to Lessen Horrors and Losses in Mine Disasters.

Washington.—Radio communication between rescuers on the surface and miners entombed in mines following fires and explosions is a hope held out by the United States bureau of mines to lessen the horrors and losses of mine disasters. Preliminary tests conducted by the bureau, with the cooperation of a great electrical manufacturing concern, in an experimental mine at Bruceton, Pa., already have resulted in a degree of success.

While these experiments so far

have failed to develop any practical method of using wireless waves for underground communication, nevertheless, says a publication of the mines bureau, they indicate clearly that electromagnetic waves may be made to travel through solid strata.

## Heard Through Fifty Feet.

In the Bruceton experiments signals were heard distinctly through fifty feet of coal strata, although the audibility fell off rapidly as the distance was increased. The absorption or loss of intensity with distance is very great for the short wave lengths used in these tests. Longer wave lengths are known to suffer less absorption and may possibly be found practically effective under certain conditions.

In this connection it is interesting to note tests conducted by the United States bureau of standards in dropping wireless antennae down deep, unused oil wells to underlying rock strata, in order to send the wireless impulses through the rock instead of through the air. The results, it is believed, may be the same as projecting the antennae upward into the air strata.

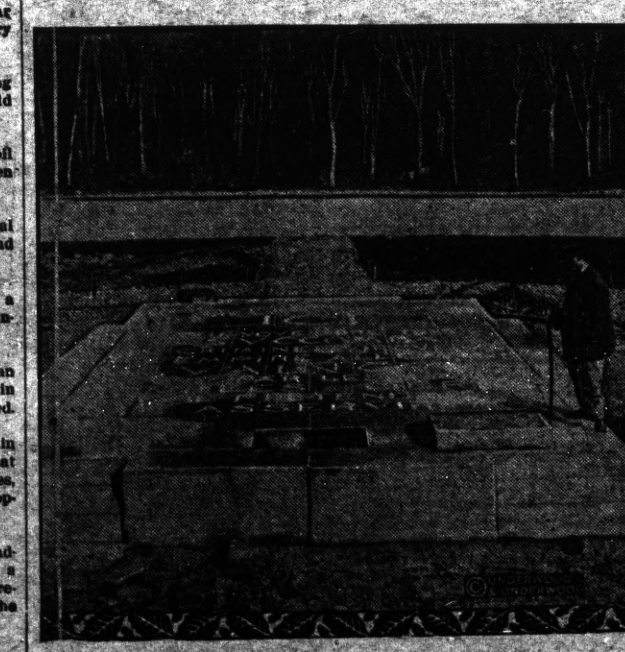
The desirability of substituting the wireless system of communication for the present telephone systems in use in mines is evident in considering that a rock fall or explosion, by breaking wire connections, can put the entire system out of order.

## Present Phones Unsafe.

The mine telephone has been perfected to such an extent that it is giving satisfaction in most mines where the wiring is well insulated, the bureau of mines announcement continues. Very often the telephone cannot be depended upon on account of falls of rock, grounding due to worn insulation or extreme dampness. In the event of a disaster it frequently happens that the mine telephone system is put out of commission by the agency that causes the disaster at the very time when it is most urgently needed. On this account the mining industry is interested in any kind of telephone system that can be counted upon in an emergency. Many requests have been received by the bureau of mines to devise means of utilizing wireless methods for this purpose.

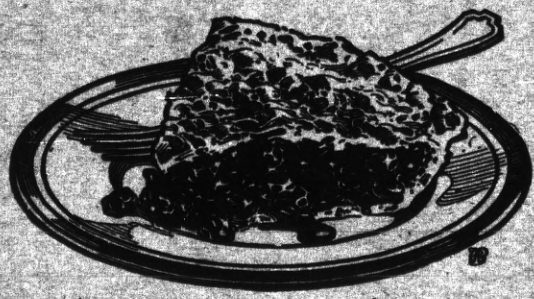
The preliminary experiments consisted first in receiving signals from without the mine by means of a receiver located inside the mine, and, second, both sending and receiving messages underground through the strata. It was found that with a receiving instrument set at a point 100 feet underground, signals sent from station KDKA of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company at East Pittsburgh, eighteen miles away, could be heard distinctly.

## Stone Where Armistice Was Signed



This shows the memorial stone at Bethones, France, on the spot where the armistice was signed on November 11, 1918, ending the World war. The stone was dedicated on Armistice day, this year, by President Millerand of France, assisted by Marshal Joffre, Foch, Haig and other notables.





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## A thought on Yuletide giving

And a few hints on how to fill Father's stocking

Another Christmas is rapidly rolling around.

Another year when you have to sit down and think—and think hard—what to give Uncle Arthur, Father, Cousin Edward, Grandfather and the rest.

Every man—well, nearly every man—likes nothing better than a good pipe. And the chances are that he will find at least one hanging on the Christmas tree and be tremendously pleased.

Right there is your opportunity to step in and give him something to go with the pipe.

Not an ash tray. (He probably has dozens of them.) Not a metal container for safety matches. (He'll never carry the darn thing.) Send him some tobacco. (That's what men usually smoke in pipes.) So to Edgeworth smokers, to the friends of Edgeworth smokers, and to all others who may be interested, we respectfully offer this Christmas suggestion:

A 16-ounce glass jar of Edgeworth Ready-Rubbed. You'll have to hunt far and wide to find a glass jar of Edgeworth Ready-Rubbed.

Edgeworth's Christmas pipe. If he doesn't get a Christmas pipe, he'll enjoy the tobacco just as much in his old pipe.

The 16-ounce jar sells for \$1.65 at any tobacco store.

If your regular dealer hasn't enough glass jars to supply the Christmas trade, let us supply Santa Claus for you. Send us \$1.65 for each jar, a list of the friends you want to remember, and your personal greetings cards. We'll do the rest.

We'll pack the glass jars in appropriate Christmas boxes, enclose your cards and send them off in plenty of time to reach your friends before Christmas. Meanwhile, if you are not personally acquainted with Edgeworth, we will be glad to send you free samples—generous helpings both of Edgeworth Ready-Rubbed and Plug Slice.

Just send us your name and address on a postal and we will forward the samples promptly. If you will also include the name and address of your tobacco dealer, we will appreciate your courtesy.

Edgeworth is sold in various sizes to suit the needs and means of all purchasers. Both Edgeworth Plug Slice and Ready-Rubbed are packed in small pocket-size packages, in handsome tin humidor and in various handy in-between sizes.

For the Christmas packages or the free samples, address Larus & Brother Company, 50 South 21st Street, Richmond, Va.

To Retail Tobacco Merchants: If your jobber cannot supply you with Edgeworth, Larus & Brother Company will gladly send you prepaid by parcel post a one- or two-dozen carton of any size of Edgeworth Plug Slice or Ready-Rubbed for the same price you would pay the jobber.

### Will Become Men of Letters.

A method of evading the new Portuguese income tax has been found. The tax varies from 1 to 10 per cent on all incomes exceeding 3,600 escudos, that is to say, about \$200. Journalists and men of letters are exempted from the tax. The number of Portuguese journalists and of books of verse and prose issued yearly is already formidable, but in future it is expected that even the busiest merchants and richest proprietors will take time to publish a little book of poems and establish a claim to be considered men of letters.

Wife Cuts in Automobile. Automobile barber chairs have recently been installed by a large Brooklyn department store to interest youngsters in having their hair cut.

This chair is a miniature of a genuine automobile even to the lever on the inside to open the door. There is a brake to regulate the mechanism in lifting or lowering the chair to the desired height, and an adjustable steering wheel. It contains foot rests that may be extended or contracted for short or long legs and seats gorgeously upholstered in bright leather.

The body of the car bears a name plate, and the youngsters has only to express his or her choice to be led to Rolls-Royce, Buick, Hudson or even a Stiver.

An Unnecessary Question. The negro couple obtained the necessary license and hunted up the justice to perform the ceremony. The justice stood them up in front of him and proceeded with great dignity into the ceremony.

"John, do you take this woman," etc?" the justice asked.

"Course Ah does," was the negro's unexpected reply. "Ah come hearh foah Joe dat purpose. Q'wan an marry us!"—Kansas City Star.

Recipe Wanted. Flint (looking at picture)—"I wonder what made the tower of Pisa lean?" Fattigh—"If I knew I'd try it."

The more money a man has in the bank the more interest he takes in life.

Hope and strive if you would thrive.

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## BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

### SCOUTING AIDS LEPERS

At the Kailua leper receiving station, Honolulu, the scout movement has 20 members.

The idea of forming this troop originated with the superintendent of the station who says: "Scouting has performed a miracle among all in the settlement. It has cultivated a spirit of cheerfulness and a desire to be helpful. It has given the boys something worth while to do, and has proved a wonderful source of entertainment to the men and women who are here."

"Scouting" has made these lads thrifty. Before the advent of the movement many of the boys spent their money as fast as they could on trifles which peddlers would leave at the gate. Now they save to buy their uniforms and equipment.

According to the local executive, every one of these boys will in time be paroled—cured. The troop is composed at 19 Hawaiians and one Japanese. The scoutmaster, Enoch Aka, a Hawaiian, twenty-two years of age, is a man of the highest type. Last summer the very day the annual boy scout camp opened, Enoch Aka was paroled from the station. He went to camp, and after the vacation period was over, declared his intention of spending his time in furthering the work of scouting among the shut-in boys at Kailua.

Since the formation of the troop, each week, scoutmasters from Honolulu take turns in giving instruction at the station in the various branches of scouting. Between the visiting scoutmasters and the boys is a netting, but it is a simple matter for the boys to follow instructions in spite of this barrier.

For their daily "good turns," the boys aid their brother scouts and the other patients, and take care of the ground about the station.

A SCOUT FROM FRANCE

M. J. Guerin-Desjardins, official representative of the French Scout Movement, was here to attend national conference of the Boy Scouts of America.

PROTECT CITY'S PROSPERITY

When the Bessmer (Ala.) Chamber of Commerce was announcing far and near its recent "Trade Day," it called on its scouts to aid in the work. The scouts helped in folding and addressing thousands of circulars to convey the information and did their share in working out the slogan, "Radio Bessmer 'round the world."

LANGUAGE OF BOY SCOUTS

The language of scouting is an honest heart, a cheerful smile and a hearty handshake. These spell friendship in any tongue.—Clarence H. Howard.

A SCOUT IN SPIRIT

"I always help the old ladies across the street," said a clear-eyed lad to a scout official, "and they always ask me if I'm a scout, but I'm not—yet." A lad with the scout spirit of helpfulness at heart, but without the benefits and joys that come from being a scout! A boy doesn't have to wear a uniform to be a true scout. If he lives the oath and law as his daily life, he's one in spirit. But why not in the ranks of the 400,000 other boys who are pledged to study manly

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## THE SANDMAN STORY

### WOOD RATS' ARMY

"SOMETHING must be done at once," announced Mrs. Wood Rat to her husband one day. "Ever since we had the picnic for the children, and Tabby Cat from the farm saw us, life has not been worth living."

"But, my dear," replied Mr. Wood Rat, "Tabby is not afraid of me—or you, either, so what can we do but be careful?"

"I've been thinking it over," said Mrs. Wood Rat, "and I think Tabby could be frightened away for good if only there were enough of us. An army of wood rats would be too much for her to face. I am sure."

"Yes," answered Mr. Wood Rat, slowly, "but with all the rats in this part of the woods there would not be enough to frighten her away. I am afraid."

"Perhaps not," said Mrs. Wood Rat, "but each one of us has a shadow and at night, when the moon is shining, we could manage to run about so that our shadows would run with us and that would make Tabby see just double our number, don't you see?"

Mr. Wood Rat argued for a little while with his wife, but in the end he

the moon was peeping over the tree tops, off ran Tabby Cat to the woods toward the rock where lived Mr. and Mrs. Wood Rat; but just before she reached it out from the rock came the rats armed with an ear of corn.

Tabby was so surprised she stopped for a second, but she wasn't afraid of a few rats. Of course, not. So she ran toward them, and then she saw there were not a few, but a very large number, for she saw all the shadows as well as the real rats, you see.

Then just as Tabby was beginning to think there were too many for her to manage, each rat threw the ear of corn it carried and all the shadows did the same, of course.

Tabby Cat turned and away she ran without once looking behind her and she did not stop until she was safe under the steps of the farm house where she lived.

Such a frolic as the wood rats had that night, for they picked up the ears of corn as soon as they saw Tabby running for home, and there in the moonlight they danced and ate corn until broad daylight.

"My dear," said Mr. Wood Rat to his wife the next morning, "I never knew how clever you were until last night. How did you ever happen to think of such a plan for getting rid of Tabby?"

"You are really the one that made me think about it," answered clever Mrs. Wood Rat. "You showed me my shadow one night in the moonlight, or I would never have thought of the plan."

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Back and Forth Went the Rats.

put on his hat and went out to tell all the neighbors the scheme that Mrs. Wood Rat had planned.

"Now, all of us must get to the corn crib today and each must bring away an ear of corn," he explained. "Then tonight, before the moon is up, you are all to come over to our big rock and hide."

Of course, bring your ear of corn with you and Mrs. Wood Rat will tell you just what to do after that."

If Tabby had been watching that day she would have seen a strange sight, for back and forth went the wood rats to the corn crib and instead of eating the corn every one carried away a full ear, the largest one he or she could carry.

But Tabby Cat did not see them; she was peacefully sleeping behind the kitchen stove to be ready for the frolic she intended to have that night in the woods, with no other cat about to share in the fun.

When all was still that night and

WHAT WE TALK ABOUT

Who think too little and who talk too much—Dryden.

WHAT would seem an indelicate or unsuitable subject for conversation in one age would seem quite proper in another. Our ideas about such things depend very much on the period in which we live. The girl of today would never hesitate to bring up and discuss in a more or less scientific way matters of human interest that our grandmothers would have regarded as too shocking to be spoken of in their own rooms, and then in a whisper. But those grandmothers when they were young would have discussed their petty household problems and gossiped about their servants and their neighbors in a way that the girl of today would regard as unpardonable.

"Since the war we talk about anything," a woman said a day or so ago in apology for having brought up a gossamer story at a dinner gathering. Another woman suggested that if our boys have been enduring such frightful experiences as they have we certainly ought not to feel squeamish about talking about these things. As a matter of fact, the boys who have been through the worst do not usually want to dwell very long on such subjects. Doctors and nurses returned from overseas service almost never recall their gossamer experiences in social intercourse, and assuredly it is in very bad form to force upon anyone the ordeal of listening to gossamer or loathsome experiences. But still there are some people who delight in just this sort of thing. They keep members of their families and their hostesses on pins and needles, too, for fear they will say something that is in bad taste.

In one respect we have made rapid strides of late years. We are far less inclined to mar the serenity of a dinner party or other social gathering by violent political discussion.

Thus much we learned during the first months of the European war, before we had weighed the situation in Europe as a nation and when there were sure to be violently opposed points of view on the whole subject.

PLAYING THE GAME

"Ever try the war game?" "Well, I've played it with my wife."

College for Deaf and Dumb.

Gallaudet college, Washington, D. C. is the only college in the whole world expressly for deaf and dumb. It is a first-grade college and the scholars are fine looking and intelligent.

EMULATION.

Now in the world does it cost you so much to live?

It's a shame to see a boy because he has high intelligence

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## Helene Chadwick



Pretty Helene Chadwick was born in Chadwick, N. Y., where her father was president of the silk mills. She is the granddaughter of Lord Chadwick of England. She was educated in New York and spent all of her life there until 1916 when she heeded the call of the silent drama. In her first picture, as a "movie" star, Miss Chadwick played the part of a rough western girl.

## "What's in a Name?"

MILDRED MARSHALL

FACTS about your name; its history; meanings whence it was derived; significance your lucky day and lucky level

### CORA

CHARMINGLY youthful is Cora, a modern derivative of an ancient Greek. Many feminine names in Greece were merely men's names with a feminine termination in "a" or "e," irrespective of their meaning, and this is true of Cora, which, quaintly enough, signifies maiden.

However she is derived, Cora is the most feminine of names, and was given to some of the most alluring heroines of romance. Originally the name was taken from Persephone's title, "Kore," a maiden, the Boetian

poetess who won a wreath of victory at Thebes, Corinna was the next step in the evolution of Cora, and she came about through the literary habit of reviving old Greek names, a fetish with enterprising writers in search of a fresh title for a heroine.

Madame de Staël named her brilliant Corinna after the Boetian poetess, above mentioned, and that established her fame forever in France, where she has been handed down from one French maid to another through generations of poetic fancy. In Italy she becomes Corinna through the "Hengist," a chronicle of the Middle Ages. Lord Byron makes her Cora in his famous poem, and through him her vogue is unquestionably established in England and America.

Modern writers favor her, both as Corinna and Cora. She is the capricious heroine of many a modern story, the most memorable example perhaps being the Cora of Booth Tarkington's book, "The Flirt." Poets have never neglected her, especially the poets of the pastoral age. Her significance and the youthful charm invariably associated with her through her evolution, made her almost a synonym for rural maiden, just as Sylvia is a general term for shepherdess. "When my Corinna goes a-maying" is one of the most charming lyrics of that age, and familiar to all.

Cora's jewel is the diamond, which promises her protection from danger. Saturday is her lucky day, and 8 her lucky number. The daisy, signifying innocence, is the flower assigned to her.

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A LINE OF CHEER

By John Kendrick Bange

IN GRATITUDE

I'M GOING to laugh and sing today. And as a soaring bird is gay. Not only for that smiles are good. But truly, out of gratitude. For all the blessings spread upon the highways I must travel on.

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## ALL RIGHT EXCEPT MOTOR

Automobile Editor Finds One Great Fault With Girl, Describing Her in Technical Terms.

I met her at a tea daint at the Country club; as racy, as sporty a little roadster as ever ran out to a link. Top bright yellow, the curls bobbed; blue eyes like lights that could not be dimmed. Body trimplings bespeaking every luxury, done in purple.

Verily, here was no "rebuilt"; every line was new. Trim and slender she was, obviously built for speed. I watched her and her partner swirl by and she held the road astonishingly well for so light a body, and seemed not in the least annoyed by the bumps that hampered others. Economical? H'm, well, probably not; I noticed her several times parked at the filling station.

Finally I wandered toward a group where she stood; and eyeing her all possible without drawing attention to my stare, was about to pass by when she turned slightly, her eyes met mine and immediately flashed a stop signal. Speedily I found a well-known friend and procured an introduction. Her smile glinted as she spoke—and then I stood against. A noisy motor this; no soft, smooth, confidence-bearing purr, but a series of sharp retorts intermingled with an irregular chug, chug, chug as she chewed her gum.

And I turned away in disgust.—D. E. B., in Chicago Post.

Rents in Berlin were until recently limited to 125 per cent more than the pre-war figure; they have now gone up to 350 per cent of that amount.

## ELDERS PICK YOUTH'S MATE

Young Albanian Has No Choice in the Selection of Woman He Is to Marry.

Matrimonial arrangements in Albania concern the elders of the clan, who summon a lad they judge ripe in years, or distinguished in battle prowess, and inform him that he may marry.

It would be for him a breach of etiquette to inquire the name of the lady selected, and on learning it he betrays complete indifference; but he devotes himself henceforward to the task of procuring fuel, provisions, liquor and music for the entertainment of the guests. On the wedding morning he dons reluctantly the new suit woven, sewn and embroidered by his mother, and welcomes the guests, who each bring a present of sugar and coffee before they form the cohort that goes to fetch the bride.

After the ceremony feasting begins. The men in one room and the women in another have a copious repast, followed by dancing and singing. Albanian weddings are generally fixed for Monday, and the celebrations often continue throughout the week.

"Do you think this is the day of the young man in politics?"

"Youth has its advantages," replied Senator Borghum. "There wouldn't be a doubt about my reelection if I could jump in and pitch a winning game for our local baseball team."

## THE TERMINAL

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For the cause that lacks assistance, Against the wrong that needs resistance, For the future in the distance, And the good that we can do."

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1922.

### New Year Resolves

There are numbers of New Year resolutions that one wishes his neighbor would form. These do not include the stale and threadbare ones, the ones that are not intended to be kept, such as cutting down one's cigarettes to three a day, looking not upon the wine when it is (dago) red, giving one's seat (with a smile) to the homeliest woman on the car, etc., etc., ad libitum, forever and forever, amen.

Here for instance is a novel resolution for those who follow research work in our libraries. Never, never again will I cut an illustration, a page or line or a word from a magazine, newspaper, journal or book belonging to any public institution. The irreparable damage that has been done by thoughtless persons has been incalculable. Ten pages were lately cut from a Scientific American volume.

Another healthful, man's sized resolution which our neighbor should make is to vote at every election held during the coming year. As 1923 isn't going to be a good year for elections, our neighbor will not be seriously incommoded.

Then there is a resolve which is more nearly personal; that our neighbor will not keep a goat or cock that will raise hard feelings and disturbances in the neighborhood.

To cut it short, there are heaps of things that our friends can profitable "resolve."

### Getting Down to Business

The Scientific American offers a prize of \$5000 for the best and most remarkable demonstrations made by any medium during 1924. Mr. Conan Doyle regrets this action, insisting that the prize will attract fakirs. The committee will assuredly have its hands full. One of the committee is Houdini—a notable sleight of hand performer. It was not so very long ago that he publicly offered to duplicate every medium's performance. The mediums and their controls are sensitive, and in case of criticism refuse to perform.

In this contest they are offered a wide scope of staying out if they won't come in under the rules. The Scientific American points out that the prize may be awarded to the inexperienced person, possibly to a child who knows nothing about psychic powers.

It is interesting; it may prove of tremendous importance to the world. "There are greater things than are dreamed of in your philosophy, Horatio."

### The Wonder of It

Naturalists know to a fair degree of certainty how any creature save man will act throughout its lifetime. It will do the same things in the same way that those of its kind did a century or two centuries ago. It is to man that one must turn for variety, surprises and general unexpectedness.

The holidays ended, practically all are financial wrecks. They have given, given, given, gladly, joyously, here and there and everywhere. They cannot bear the thought that anyone within reach should be hungry and cold and forgotten.

So, everyone gives and everyone accepts, and the spirit of Christ walks on the earth, and man is as he should be.

Why reverse the picture? We CAN hold the pen if we will.

That we will, is the New Year's wish of The Terminal.

## NOTICE

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND located at Richmond, in the State of California, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment.

Dated Oct. 7, 1922.  
CHARLES J. CRARY, President.

NOTICE—The business and assets of First National Bank of Richmond have been acquired by Mercantile Trust Company which will conduct an office at the place of business formerly occupied by the First National Bank of Richmond, 101

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Contra Costa.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Gibson, Deceased, No. 3365.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Charles Gibson, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said deceased to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa county, State of California, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, to the said Administrator at the offices of J. B. Rodgers and A. F. Bray, attorneys at law, Byron Brown Building, Martinez, California, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated December 24, 1922.  
CHARLES E. DALEY, Administrator of the estate of Charles Gibson, deceased.

J. B. Rodgers, A. F. Bray, attorneys at law, Byron Brown Building, Martinez, California. dec-18-15-22

## NOTICE OF AGREEMENT OF SALE AND PURCHASE BETWEEN RICHMOND SAVINGS BANK AND MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 31 OF THE CALIFORNIA BANK ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that under date of Oct. 5, 1922, an agreement of sale and purchase was entered into, pursuant to Section 31 of the California Bank Act, by and between Richmond Savings Bank, a California banking corporation, having its principal place of business in Richmond, California, and Mercantile Trust Company, a like corporation, having its principal place of business in San Francisco, California, wherein the said Richmond Savings Bank agreed to sell and the said Mercantile Trust Company agreed to purchase the business and assets of said Richmond Savings Bank for and in consideration, among other things, of the assumption by said Mercantile Trust Company of all claims and liabilities to the depositors of said Richmond Savings Bank; and wherein it was further provided that any and all transfers of said deposits are and shall be subject to the right of every depositor of said selling bank to withdraw his deposit in full, on demand, after such transfer, irrespective of the terms under which said deposit may have been made with said selling bank; and

## NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER

GIVEN that said agreement was approved by the Superintendent of Banks on October 7, 1922, that the sale and transfer aforesaid was consummated on October 7, 1922, and that, pursuant to permit duly issued by said Superintendent of Banks on October 9, 1922, said Mercantile Trust Company has established and is now operating a Branch Office in said premises heretofore occupied by said Richmond Savings Bank in Richmond, California.

Dated, San Francisco, California, Oct. 16, 1922.  
MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY, (SEAL) By JOHN S. DRUM, President.

By R. M. Welch, Secretary.

## NOTICE OF AGREEMENT OF SALE AND PURCHASE BETWEEN FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF RICHMOND AND LIQUIDATING AGENT OR LIQUIDATION COMMITTEE AND MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 31 OF THE CALIFORNIA BANK ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under date of October 5, 1922, an agreement of sale and purchase was entered into, pursuant to Section 31 of the California Bank Act, by and between First National Bank of Richmond, a National banking association, having its principal place of business in Richmond, California, and its Liquidating Agent or Liquidation Committee, and Mercantile Trust Company, a California banking corporation, having its principal place of business in San Francisco, California, wherein the said First National Bank of Richmond agreed to sell and the said Mercantile Trust Company agreed to purchase the business and assets of said First National Bank of Richmond, for and in consideration, among other things, of the assumption by said Mercantile Trust Company of the payment in full, on demand, of all claims of and liabilities to the depositors of said First National Bank of Richmond; and wherein it was further provided that any and all transfers of said deposits are and shall be subject to the right of every depositor of said selling bank to withdraw his deposit in full, on demand, after such transfer, irrespective of the terms under which said deposit may have been made with said selling bank; and

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